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Try the WANT ADS.

Saturday

The Times Dispatch

January 17, 1914.

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Try the WANT ADS.

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HOSE—Double sole, high
spliced heel and toe; in
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Split foot, high spliced heel
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weight; double heel and toe... 25c
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and tan; per pair... 25c
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These Big
Ribbon
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30c to 39c Ribbons,
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5 to 6 1/2-INCH RIBBONS, in
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a good range of patterns in
Fancy Ribbons. In all the
popular colors. Choose from
this vast lot at only 19c yd.

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15c yd.

4 to 5 1/2-INCH RIBBONS, in
the fashionable checks, fan-
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fine collection, consisting of
satins, moiré, tulle, and
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up to \$1.00; on sale... 50c

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LACE RUFFLING, in narrow
and wide widths; per
yard, 50c and... 25c

HIGH NECK GIMPS, in plain
net, all boned; special, each... 50c

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Cannot Surpass
Redfern Corsets

Paris fixes THE LINES of fashion,
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TRANSFER these lines to a PER-
FECT Corset.

Ask us for a REDFERN—the Cor-
set that transforms the simplest gown
into "a creation." REDFERNS are
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\$3.00 to \$12.00
Corset Section, Second Floor.

KOLMER RESIGNS
FROM STATE WORK

DAIRMEN TO GET
SILVER TROPHIES

Retires as Hookworm Inspector
to Engage in Practice of
Medicine.

Dr. A. W. Freeman, State director of
the Rockefeller Sanitary Commission
for the eradication of the hookworm,
announced yesterday the resignation of
Dr. G. A. L. Kolmer, who has been
district inspector under the commis-
sion for some time. Dr. Kolmer re-
signs to enter private practice in Sal-
em, Va. No one has been appointed
to fill the vacancy.

The office of district inspector carries
a salary of \$1,500, with all travel-
ing expenses paid. Great care is
used by Director Freeman in the se-
lection of the inspectors, and only the
best prepared men can hope to be con-
sidered.

Although no names were mentioned,
Dr. Freeman said yesterday that he is
expecting to receive in a few days
the resignation of another inspector,
who also desires to return to the
practice of medicine. The inspectors con-
duct the free hookworm dispensa-
ries operated by the Rockefeller
Commission and the State Board of
Health in the various counties of the
State.

Dr. Roy C. Flannagan, State medi-
cal inspector, is in Loudoun County
preparing for a medical inspection of
all the school children in the county.

State Association to Award Cups
for Best Milk and Cream
Samples.

Interest has been added to the an-
nual State milk and cream contest this
year by the offer of two silver cups and
four medals by the Virginia Dairymen's
Association. The contest will be held
in Richmond the week of February 9
to 14 under the auspices of the State
Dairy and Food Division, and all the
samples of milk and cream submitted
will be judged analytically by experts
of the State and Federal governments.
The contest last year was productive
of keen competition and splendid re-
sults, although certificates only were
awarded to the winners.

The first prize for the best sample
of milk was won by Woodson Venable,
of Farmville, in the 1913 contest. J.
Scott Parrish, owner of Milbora
Farm in Chesterfield County, was
awarded the first prize for cream.
To stimulate interest in the contest,
the Dairymen's Association has offered
the following prizes:

First prize for milk, a silver cup;
second prize for milk, a silver medal;
first prize for cream, a silver cup;
second prize for cream, a silver medal;
third prize for cream, a silver medal.

In addition, diplomas will be given by
the State Dairy and Food Commissioner
for each entry making a score above
ninety. The winners will be announced
and the prizes given at the seventh
annual convention of the State Dairymen's
Association, which will be held
the following month.

Everything possible to add to the
success of the contest is being done by
Commissioner Saunders. A circular
every dairymen addressed by him to
all others whose names are known to
the department. Mr. Saunders believes
that these contests have great educa-
tional value and encourage the com-
mercial production of clean, pure milk by
teaching the producer the necessary
fundamental principles.

GETS OFFER FROM LOSSING HEIRS

They Agree to Return Manu-
scripts Stolen From Vir-
ginia for \$750.

DOCUMENTS WORTH \$8,000

May Be Necessary to Ask Legis-
lature for Money if It Is to
Be Paid by State.

The owners of the famous Lossing
collection of American manuscripts,
which includes more than 100 valuable
documents alleged to have been stolen
from the Virginia archives amid the
confusion following the evacuation of
Richmond, have finally made the State
a definite offer to return the manu-
scripts after negotiations extending
over a period of more than a year.
The Lossing heirs have agreed to re-
store to the State Library the 100
manuscripts, of an estimated market
value of \$8,000, on payment of \$750 to
pay for their custody since they were
made a part of the existing collection,
and to defray the expense of the
present negotiations.

The letter making this proposal was
received several days ago by State
Librarian Melville, and has been
turned over by him to Governor Mann.
It is understood that the Governor has
not the money left in his contingent
fund to make the settlement. He has
expressed no public opinion in regard
to the justice of the proposal for the
restoration of the manuscripts, but it
is believed that he considers the de-
mands of the Lossing heirs well within
reason. The offer is in no sense a pro-
posal to sell the valuable collection to
the State. It is an offer to restore it
on condition that the State pays for
the maintenance of the property during
the fifty years that it has been out of
the State Library.

Melville Pleaded With Offer.
State Librarian Melville, who first
discovered the stolen manuscripts in a
catalogue of Lossing papers offered for
sale, is pleased with the offer, and
thinks it would be a good idea to have
in hand, he says, he would immedi-
ately recommend that the State Library
Board conclude the negotiations on the
terms offered by the Lossing heirs.
It is possible that the General Assem-
bly will be asked for a special ap-
propriation of \$750 for the return of the
documents, but it is feared that the
agitation over the stolen will of
Martha Washington will prejudice the
case in the eyes of many people.

In the 100 manuscripts in the Loss-
ing collection are some of the most
valuable documents of Virginia history.
Papers in the handwriting of Wash-
ington, Jefferson, Lafayette, Queen
Anne, King William and King George
are among them, as well as State doc-
uments signed by Colonial and early
State Governors. Since the discovery
of the stolen manuscripts in the Loss-
ing collection, Dr. Melville has made
an aggressive search for their re-
turn to the State Library. He
thought that the present offer is the
best to be obtained.

BODY CUT IN TWO

James M. Brooking, Carpenter, Run Over
Twice by Yard Engine.

The body of James M. Brooking, fifty-five
years old, was found yesterday
afternoon in the Seventeenth
yards of the Chesapeake and Ohio Railway.
Brooking was a carpenter in the
repair shops of the railway company.
It is believed that he attempted to cross
the tracks when he was struck by one of
the yard engines. The engine passed over him
twice at least, and the body was terribly
mangled.

Brooking lived at 241 Venable Street. He
was married and was survived by a wife,
Coroner Taylor investigated the death, and
found that he was killed accidentally, so
that an inquest will not be necessary.

Recital at University.

Shepherd Webb will play a second recital
of the season's series at the University of
Virginia tomorrow afternoon at 4 o'clock.
These recitals are very popular, and
public and student body are usually
large. Webb is a student of the law,
with music lessons to hear the crowd
which was a gift to the university from
Andrew Carnegie. Webb will give the
following program:

(a) "Contra Altus" from first symphony.
(b) "Rondeau" from "The Marriage of Figaro."
(c) "Toccata" from "The Marriage of Figaro."
(d) "Largo" from "The Marriage of Figaro."
(e) "Duet" from "The Marriage of Figaro."
(f) "Minuet" from "The Marriage of Figaro."
(g) "Toccata" from "The Marriage of Figaro."

POLICE COURT CASES

Conductor Fined \$10 for Recklessly
Operating Laurel Street Car.

Sam Zelnovick, charged with stealing a
watch and cash from Thomas Zelnovick, was
sentenced to sixty days in jail by Justice
Chestnut yesterday morning.

The Valentine Meat Juice Company, charged
with allowing two bulls to run at large
and molest and kill sheep, was fined \$5.
Rennie Dairy Company, owned by J. T. Balaban,
was fined \$5 for allowing a cow to run at large.

J. C. Cox, charged with recklessly running
Laurel Street car No. 410 on January 11, was
fined \$10.

Washington, colored, charged with
having escaped from jail on January 11, was
sent back to jail for ninety days.

Qualify as Executor.

The Virginia Trust Company and R. O.
Bent qualified as executor of the estate of
Emilie B. Bent. The estate is valued at \$39,000.

Mr. and Mrs. Finley J. Shepard Here.

Finley J. Shepard and his wife, who were
formerly Miss Helen Gould, arrived in Rich-
mond last night from Old Point, and are at
the Jefferson Hotel. Mr. and Mrs. Shepard
were accompanied by Mrs. B. H. Wright,
a sister of Mr. Shepard. They expect to
leave the city for the North some time
today. At Fort Monroe yesterday, Mrs.
Shepard, whose \$50,000 bequest gave the
Young Men's Christian Association for the
soldiers, was the guest at a reception and
special full dress parade.

HOSPITAL UNDER CONTROL OF CITY

Mayor Signs Ordinance by Which
Virginia Is Loaned for a
Period of Ten Years.

Sum of \$2,600 Authorized for
Immediate Repair—Many
New Laws.

Mayor Ainslie yesterday signed the
ordinance under which the city accepts
from the Medical College of Virginia
the loan of the Virginia Hospital for a
period not to exceed ten years, the
building to be used as a municipal
hospital until such time as the city
erects one of its own. A contract as
to its management and conduct will
be entered upon between the Admin-
istrative Board and the executive staff
of the Medical College of Virginia.
Another ordinance signed by the Mayor
authorizes the expenditure immedi-
ately of \$2,600 for its repair, and John
Hirschberg, of the Administrative
Board, who has charge of hospital af-
fairs, expects to be able to use the
building by February 15.

Mayor Ainslie returned to City Clerk
Ben T. August a large batch of other
ordinances late yesterday afternoon,
among them being:

Resolution approving action of the
Auditor in making certain payments of
wages and salaries in certain city de-
partments just previous to Christmas.
Resolution authorizing the City Clerk
to publish notices of certain ordinances
to be considered by the Council, grant-
ing extension of the time limit for the
construction of the Richmond and Itap-
panhock River Railway Company.
Ordinance closing and abandoning
for public use certain portions of an
alley extending from the Boulevard to
Deep Run Street, between Main and
Cary Streets.

Resolution to acquire land to open
a certain portion of Lad Street.

Resolution appropriating \$4,000 to
the credit of the City Home expenses.

Resolution appropriating \$3,087 to
pay the Virginia Railway and Power
company for the use of poles by the
city, as decided by arbitration.

Resolution appropriating \$1,000 for
repairs to the Ninth Street bridge.

Ordinance fixing the salary of the
City Collector at \$3,600 per annum;
salary of one deputy at \$1,800 a year;
salary of one clerk in the main office
at \$1,500 a year; salary of a clerk in
South Richmond at \$1,000 a year, and
allowing \$1,500 for contingent ex-
penses.

Ordinance fixing the salary of the
superintendent of the Street
Cleaning Department at \$1,200 a year.

Ordinance fixing the salary of Jani-
tors to the courts at \$500 each.

Ordinance appropriating \$2,000 for
the city police expenses.

Ordinance fixing the salary of the
clerk of the Board of Health at \$1,080
a year.

Ordinance fixing the salary of the
first assistant City Engineer at \$2,400
a year and the salary of the chief clerk
in the City Engineer's office at \$2,000.

Ordinance fixing the salary of four
building inspectors at \$1,500 each and
the salary of the clerk to the Building
Inspector at \$1,200.

Resolution and resolution repealing a
resolution heretofore adopted by the
City Council authorizing the commis-
sion of taxes due the city by the es-
tates of C. S. Maurice.

Preamble and resolution releasing
the equity of the city of Richmond in
property owned by the Richmond Home
for Ladies.

Resolution granting the use of the
City Auditorium to the Salvation Army
for a lecture to be delivered by Miss
Booth, of the Salvation Army, on the
night of February 17.

Resolution appropriating \$2,000 to
acquire property at 3700 Lester Street.

Resolution appropriating \$57,806.58
for the new fire engine, to be delivered
to the City Engineer's office.

Resolution to appropriate \$2,000 to
acquire land to widen Third-fifth
Street, from Marshall Street south-
wardly.

Resolution to appropriate \$5,185.94
to widen Cowardin Avenue, South
Richmond.

Ordinance fixing the salary of the
Coroner at \$2,750 a year.

BECKNER CONVICTED

"Tennessee Kid," Indicted for Highway Rob-
bery, Gets Three Months in Jail.

Chester Beckner, alias "Tennessee Kid,"
indicted for highway robbery, was con-
victed of petit larceny in the Hustings Court yes-
terday, the jury bringing in a verdict of
three months in jail.

It was charged that Beckner held up and
robbed T. F. Jones of a watch and \$19 in
money at Seventeenth and Washington Streets
on the night of July 4, 1913. Jones was unable
to identify Beckner as his assailant, but
evidence was introduced to show that Beck-
ner sold Jones's watch to Catty Price, col-
ored.

Beckner, who has been in jail ever since
his arrest, was accompanied to court by his
wife and their three children. The children
gathered about their mother as she kissed
the Bible to swear to the truth of her testi-
mony, and the youngest held out her hands
to Clerk Christian that she, too, might kiss
the sacred book.

David Welch, alias W. J. Morton, was
convicted of assault on Adolph Marks, a
Catholic priest, at 26 North Nineteenth Street,
by jury bringing in a verdict of five years in
the penitentiary. A motion to have the ver-
dict set aside on contrary evidence and evi-
dence was continued to January 29.

Marriage Licenses.

Marriage licenses were issued yesterday in
the Hustings Court to Sam Steinfeld and
Bonnie Wehner, and Samuel Weingarten and
Rosa Sidenberg.

CAR COMPANY IS HALED TO COURT

Southside Police Act on Com-
plaint That Service Is Slow
and Inadequate.

GOT RECORD FROM CHECKERS

Councilman Jones Informed by
City Attorney That Police
Could Issue Summons.

Acting on complaints of citizens,
verified by personal observation, Cap-
tain Alexander S. Wright, of the Third
District, yesterday issued a summons
against the Virginia Railway and Power
Company for failure to maintain a
ten-minute schedule on the Hull Street
line. Company officials have been no-
tified to appear before Justice H. A.
Maurice, in Police Court, Part II, on
Tuesday morning.

The charges against the company are
the outcome of several weeks of slow
service on the Southside lines. Com-
plaint after complaint was made to the
police, and to satisfy himself that the
schedule was not being kept, Captain
Wright had markers stationed at a
prominent point for several days, and
the record of every car passing that
point was carefully noted. In addi-
tion to this data, more than a dozen
witnesses, regular patrons of the cars,
have been summoned to testify in re-
gard to the alleged poor service ren-
dered.

Must Run Ten Minutes Apart.
Under a franchise granted by the
city of Manchester, still operative, the
Virginia Railway and Power Company is
charged with running its cars at inter-
vals of ten minutes, and that the cars
in each direction run ten minutes
apart, unless conditions warrant a faster
schedule. By actual timing it was
determined that the intervals as high
as thirty-one minutes between cars,
while in other instances two cars would
be run less than a car length apart.

Complaints were not only made to
the police, but the Southside repre-
sentatives in the Common Council have
been appealed to recently. Council-
man O. J. Sands, of the executive com-
mittee, has taken the matter up and was
advised by the police that the matter was
under the police jurisdiction, and that
it was up to that department to take
action. This fact was communicated to
Captain Wright, and after a confer-
ence with Chief Werner the cars were
then timed.

Following close on the heels of po-
lice action, the South Richmond Demo-
cratic Club, at a meeting last night,
appointed a committee to ask Mayor
Werner to continue its check on the
company, and to summon it each day
a violation was found until proper
service was given. In addition to
this, the club will also get individ-
uals to check cars.

Attached to the police is a day at-
tached to the failure of the company
to maintain its schedule. The ten-
minute schedule, which is not equal to
the demands of South Richmond, which
is growing rapidly, would be satisfac-
tory in the middle of the day, with
extra cars during the rush hours. The
extra cars are now run morning and night,
but it is a common sight to see three
and four cars on the same block—a
banana line it was characterized last
night at the club meeting, with cars
in bunches.

The residents of Swansboro, which
is beyond the police jurisdiction, also
have a grievance against the company,
and a mass-meeting will be held next
week to decide on some action. It is
expected that the company will be
compelled to enforce its provisions.

Remedies Have Been Suggested.
Numerous remedies have been sug-
gested, but none has been tried. The
city council, both motormen and
conductors, insist that it is im-
possible to maintain a schedule of ten
minutes with the present number of
cars on the line. There are now five
in operation regularly, with a fifty-
five car allowance for a round trip.
The motormen say that one more car,
with the round trip allowance in-
creased to thirty minutes, would be
satisfactory, and would give an oppor-
tunity to maintain the schedule.

Chief Wright stated last night
that the present prosecution would
not be the only one, but that he would
live up to its obligations. He will
insist in court that the full limit of
the law be imposed for each violation.

The Gans-Rady Company OFFERS TO-DAY

At \$16.00 Men's Overcoats, worth up to \$28.00
At \$16.00 Men's Suits, worth up to \$28.00
At \$ 2.95 Men's Extra Trousers, worth
up to \$ 4.50
At \$ 1.95 Men's Soft Hats, worth up to \$ 3.50
At \$ 1.00 Brown Derbies, worth up to \$ 5.00
At \$ 4.95 Boys' Overcoats, worth up to \$12.50
At \$ 4.95 Boys' Knee Pants Suits, worth
up to \$ 8.50
At \$ 1.15 Soft Cuff Shirts, worth \$ 2.00

Gans-Rady Company

CONTINUE FIGHT FOR RESERVE BANK

Executive Committee Plans Cam-
paign for Additional Data
and Support.

Richmond's campaign for a regional
reserve bank is to know no let up un-
til the national organization com-
mittee makes public its list of reserve
cities. The executive committee in
charge of the local campaign met yes-
terday afternoon to take stock of the
situation and lay plans for the further
prosecution of the work.

Under the plan of procedure map-
ped out by the national organization
committee immediately prior to the
opening of the hearings in New York,
the committee will shortly make an
extensive tour of the country, hold-
ing hearings in more than a dozen
cities. It is not expected that the tak-
ing of testimony will be completed in
less than five or six weeks.

At the hearing granted to the Rich-
mond forces in Washington on Thurs-
day, Secretary of Agriculture Houston
told the delegation that the commit-
tee will receive and file for considera-
tion such other data as the contesting
cities may compile, at any time between
the hearing and the end of the State Peni-
tentiary period. His questions, he
suggested, might indicate supplemen-
tary data which Richmond will be giv-
ing an opportunity to amplify and file.

Chairman O. J. Sands, of the execu-
tive committee, presided at yesterday's
meeting at reserve bank headquarters,
in the American National Bank Build-
ing, and several of the committee mem-
bers offered suggestions for new work.
For the present Secretary Gregory will
remain in charge of the campaign of
the committee, and the circulating and other
activities will be continued unabated.

Besides Mr. Sands, there were present
at the meeting George J. Seay, E.
L. Bemiss, Julien H. Hill, Leon Wal-
terstein, B. H. Randolph, W. T. Reed,
W. T. Dabney, John K. Blanton, John
M. Miller, George C. Gregory and
C. P. Walford, Jr.

SAYS SHE WAS ROBBED

Mrs. Maggie Ware Makes Report of
Attack by Negro.

Mrs. Maggie Ware, who gave her address
as 43 North Eleventh Street, reported to
the police at the First Station last night
that on Wednesday night she was waylaid,
robbed and threatened by two negroes,
one of whom she described as being from
peaches and Ohio. She said that she was
attacked by two negroes while she was
walking alone, and that she was robbed
of her pocketbook.

Questioned as to why she was so late
in making the complaint, Mrs. Ware said
that she could not come out of the house on
account of her injuries, and she exhibited
swollen bruises about her eyes. She
stated that the attack occurred about 9:30 o'clock,
and that she was alone at the time. She
stated that she was attacked by two negroes,
one of whom she described as being from
peaches and Ohio. She said that she was
attacked by two negroes while she was
walking alone, and that she was robbed
of her pocketbook.

An officer sent an hour later to the
address Mrs. Ware gave found no one at home.
She was later found in the hospital.

Suit for \$400 damages was entered yes-
terday in the Law and Equity Court by
H. W. Rowles against J. T. Ward.

DAVIS ELECTED COLLEGE HEAD

Trustees of the Virginia Christian College,
Lynchburg, met here yesterday
afternoon and elected Professor
G. O. Davis president of the institu-
tion, to succeed Dr. S. T. Willis, re-
signed. Professor Davis has been act-
ing in this capacity for more than a
year, and his election was unanimous.

Professor Davis and R. M. Kent, Jr.,
of this city, were appointed delegates
to the Men and Million Conference,
which will be held in St. Louis Feb-
ruary 3-4. The object of this move-
ment is to raise \$6,000,000, which will
be divided equally between the mis-
sionary service of the Disciples of
Christ and their institutions of learn-
ing. The amount is to be raised with-
in five years, and \$3,500 will be given
to Virginia Christian College.

Among other matters taken up was
the question of raising an endowment
fund of \$100,000 for the college, but
no definite action was taken. The
meeting adjourned, after which the
trustees went to the Business Men's
Club for supper. The following mem-
bers of the board were present:

Rev. George W. Kemper, George S.
Crenshaw, R. M. Kent, Jr., and Luther
Wright, Richmond; Rev. Ritchie Ware
and C. L. Snyder, Lynchburg; Rev.
D. Haymaker and M. M. Orndorff,
Strasburg, and C. N. Shewalter, Roanoke.

Welcome New Pastor.

A reception was tendered on Thursday
night to the Rev. Gerald Culbertson and Mrs.
Culbertson at the Third Christian Church.
Mr. Culbertson is the new pastor of the
church. Pastors of the churches of the vari-
ous other denominations were present to
greet him, and he was cordially welcomed
to the city.

Paragraph Pulpit

"How We Know God."

The chief object of religion is and
has ever been the gaining of a knowl-
edge of God. There is within
man an innate desire for God—con-
sciousness of religion is but the effort
of man to answer this desire. But how
are we to know God? Can the finite
grasp the infinite? We have a
very nature of things, remain the "Great
Unknowable"? Is not religion, then,
a quest for the unattainable? Such a
conclusion might be reached by a super-
ficial study of the question, but a
deeper and more earnest inquiry re-
veals that while we cannot know God
in His fullness, yet we may know Him
in the very way which counts as knowl-
edge and aspirations. "How We Come to
Know God" is the subject of a sermon
to be preached at the Unitarian Church
to-morrow morning—Unitarian Pub-
licity Committee. (Advertisement.)

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